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In re Application of:

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APPARATUS AND METHOD

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Prior to the examination of the above continuation application under 37 C.F.R.

§ 1.53(d), please amend this application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, line 9, delete "(hereinafter termed "virtual images") obtained when an object present in virtually generated" and replace with --to be displayed on a monitor screen, wherein data for object relating to virtual images to be displayed is generated by--;

✓ line 10, insert --calculating and processing data in a-- before "three";

insert --virtual-- after "dimensional";

✓ lines 10-11, change "(hereinafter termed "virtual space") is projected (by perspective projection) onto a" to --and the obtained data is converted to--;

✓ line 11, insert --data-- after "dimensional";

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